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In re Application of: Pierluigi Franco, et al.
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Group Art Unit: 2633
Examiner: Christina Y. Leung
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD OF HIGH-SPEED
TRANSMISSION AND APPROPRIATE TRANSMISSION
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Assistant Commissioner

For Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In response to the Office Action mailed December 18, 2002, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the rejection of the claims in view of the following remarks.